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Application No.: 09/063,335

Group Art Unit: 21543

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING A VIRTUAL  
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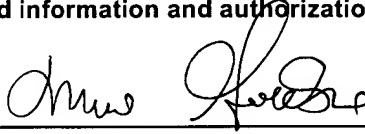
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